

It is not in the best interest of the American people to allow easy surveillance of their Internet usage. Spying without a warrant is a total abrogation of the rights of citizens as individuals who are entitled to privacy and anonymity. It is not at all easy to accept the argument that greater surveillance of citizens' usage will deter crime or terrorism in any significant way. In fact, it becomes far more likely that abuse of that power will take place before any real criminal act is thwarted. Please do not allow this proceeding to pass.